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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application: Urlaub, et al.	) Examiner: Walter Aughenbaugh
Serial No: 10/687,004	) Group Art Unit: 1772
Filed: December 16, 2003	) Dep. Acct. No: 04-1403
Title: High Surface Area Material  Blends for Odor Reduction,	) Conf. No: 7451
Articles Utilizing Such Blends  -with and Methods of Using Same	) Customer No: 22827 )
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450	
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## **RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2006, please refer to the following remarks:

A Listing of the Claims is provided herewith for the Examiner's convenience.

Remarks begin on pg. 4 of this paper.